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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF :  
KAZUHITO KISHI, ET AL. : EXAMINER: ROTH, LAURA  
SERIAL NO: 10/808,423 :  
FILED: MARCH 25, 2004 : GROUP ART UNIT: 2852  
FOR: HEATING DEVICE, FIXING :  
DEVICE AND IMAGE FORMING  
APPARATUS

AMENDMENT

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

In response to the Office Action dated March 30, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 5 of this paper.

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